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Local and General

The meeting of the citizens held in the Fire Hall, on Monday night to consider the offer of Mr. J. J. Banta, of a free gift of land as a park for the Village was well attended. Dr. Whillans, Reeve, was in the chair. Mr. Banta was asked to inform the meeting of his views as to the requirements he would think necessary to be made. These were very modest, not necessitating an outlay of any large sum of money. After some discussion it was proposed and carried unanimously that the offer be accepted. A committee consisting of Dr. Whillans, D. Onken, and S. Collins was appointed to carry out the scheme. A resolution thanking Mr. Banta for his generous gift was carried with applause. The hour being early a general talk on the question of draining the village was indulged in, which may bear fruit.

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MILITARY Y.M.C.A. SERVICE on Sunday, April 21st, at Rodney at 11 a.m. and at Crossfield, in the Union Church at 4 p.m. These Services will be addressed by Mr. Stanley Brink, General Secretary of Y.M.C.A.

Let everyone be present to hear of the work being done by this department on the firing line.

The Oddfellows Anniversary Service on Sunday, April 28th, will be held at the Union Church at 4 p.m., instead of 3 as previously announced. All Oddfellows please meet at the hall at 3 p.m.

Mrs. G. G. Huser and Doris arrived from California on Thursday morning, where they have been spending a holiday and enjoying the mild climate.

Mrs. Amery and family arrived back to town this week after spending the winter in Walla Walla, Wash.

Sam Christianson is drilling a well on the site of Wm. Lamb's new house.

The Daylight "savings" Bill came into force on Sunday without any ceremony, a few people missed service through that hour's change.

E. H. Morrow has been confined to bed the last 10 days, consequently the upper grades at our local school are on holiday. Mr. Morrow is making good progress and hopes to be in harness again in a day or two.

Church of the Ascension, on Sunday, April 28th, Special Service will be conducted by the Rev. J. P. Dingle in aid of the Women's Auxiliary. At 8.0 a.m. Holy Communion, 11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon, and 7.30 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon. All are welcome.

Big Oil Company to Start Operations

The Clark Fork Oil Co., one of the largest oil companies operating in the Wyoming fields have recently purchased two drilling rigs. As soon as the necessary arrangements can be made these outfits will be spotted on the leases of the company in two different fields. The officers of the company are in a quandary as to the best place to start their operations since they have extensive holdings in the Warm Springs field, the Manderson field, the Carbonado Dome, the Clark Fork Dome and a large lease in productive territory in Kansas.

Big Oil Company Start Work Soon Have Valuable Oil Lands Under Lease

The Clark Fork Oil Company of Montana expect to start operations on their extensive lease within the next few days. At the present time, however, the officials of the company are in a quandary as to how to place two rigs on five different leases. They have leases on the famous Warm Springs Dome of Wyoming which antedated the oil world last year by the easiness of its structure, and it is expected that at least one of the rigs will commence work here. However, the Clark Fork Oil Field, the Carbonado Dome, the Manderson field, and a productive field in Kansas have attractions which may decide in their favor.

See Dr. M. Mecklenburg, the old reliable graduate, long experienced, and highly qualified Eye Sight Expert about your eyes. He will again be at Crossfield on May 7th, and at Crossfield on May 8th. Fees are moderate.

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On the premises of H. McPhie, S. W. 34, S. 4, T. 20, R. 1, W. 5. One Bay gelding, 8 years old, hind foot white, left front foot white, white snip on nose. Branded on left hip.

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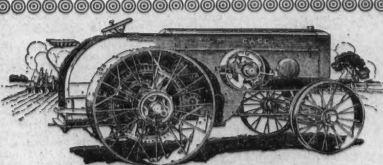
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Since shipping must be concentrated on the shortest routes, Canada and the United States must continue to be practically the only source of supply.

Canada must provide wheat and meat in increasing quantities to meet a situation that imperils the issues of the war.

Men who can be spared for work on the farms must serve in this way. Those who are obliged to remain in the city or town can at least raise vegetables in their gardens or on vacant lots.

Every effort will be made to see that labor is forthcoming to harvest the maximum crops that farmers can produce.

An increased spring acreage in wheat and other grain is vitally needed.

Stock raisers are asked to provide the greatest possible production of meat, especially pork.

Starvation is threatening our Allies. Everyone in Canada must fight by doing his or her utmost to produce and to conserve food.

CANADA FOOD BOARD

Director of Production

Chairman and Director of Conservation

Director of Agricultural Labor

The Selfish Crime of Protecting Yourself to the Detriment of Others

Negroes at French Docks

Insect Pests Cost State \$400,000.—Pennsylvania in 1917 suffered a loss of at least \$400,000 through the damage done its crops by insect pests, according to a table prepared by J. G. Sanders, state economic entomologist. This sum of money, even at prevailing prices, would construct annually 1,143 miles of concrete road sixteen feet in width; and in nine years would build a new highway system of thoroughfare comprising what is known as the main road system of the state. The loss in Pennsylvania is perhaps no greater proportionally than in adjoining states, but it is quite unnecessary, according to Mr. Sanders,

Aiming at the Creation of a Solid German Wedge Across the Continent

London Times.

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Hint About German Diplomatic Ac-

"Pop, what's a synonym?"
 "It's one of those places where you get a big salary for doing nothing. Anything else you want to know?"—
 Baltimore American.

Circulation of Air Is Important Matter Overlooked in Winter

"In that case, by opening the windows of the second story, that story

second floor becomes of some use, but as ordinarily used a transom over an inside door is a case of misplaced confidence. Transoms to do

Germany's Economic Resistance

The inherent resisting power of Germany has been underestimated by her enemies from the first, how-

Wilkins was quite the "black sheep" of the regiment, and was brought up before his commanding officer for breach of discipline four or about the fiftieth time. The Colonel glared at him fiercely. "Didn't I tell you the last time you were up in this orderly room," he said, "that I never wanted to see you again?" "That's quite right, sir," answered the culprit, "but the Sergeant wouldn't believe it!"—Vancouver Freeman.

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Was Very Much Concerned About

In fact, it has poisoned the body politic of Europe for forty-four years, and the evil will last until the poison is forcibly removed. Now is the time.—From a Letter in the New York Times.

The Free Importation of Cattle and Tractors

Teacher—What is the third letter of the alphabet, Johnny?
Johnny—Don't know.
Teacher—What do you do with your eyes?
Johnny—Stare 'em out.

The Airship

In the respect to safety there is probably little difference between the two.

These are extraordinary uses. The main business of the airship will be centred in the sphere of commercial duties. It is destined to be a great public utility, and the thousands of expert air navigators set free when the war is over will go about finding for the machine its place in the scheme of civilization. They will be the largest class of men who have learned a new profession.—Reginald Leader.

Brewers' Profits Have Been Doubling With Rhythmic Regularity Since the War

An indication of the manner in which women are taking the place of the men at war is given in the fact that many of the girls in the Home Economics class at the Manitoba Agricultural College are taking up the regular course on the operation of tractors.

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Carmen's Messenger

—BY—
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(Continued.)

There was smooth pasture in the valley, broken by dark squares of turnip fields and pale stubble; but here and there the heath appeared again and wild cotton showed faintly white above the black peat-soil. By and by a cross, standing by itself on the lonely hillside, caught Foster's eye, and he asked his companion about it.

"The Count's Cross, sir; a courtyard they held in the next decade. He was killed in a raid on a tower down the water, before the Featherstones came."

"But did they bury him up there?"

"No, sir; they were all buried at night by the water of Langrigg, but when they were carrying him home in the mist by the hill road the Scots from the tower overtook them. Their horses foundered, but the Scots let them go when they found that he was dead. About 1800, sir. Somebody put the cross to commemorate it."

"They seem to have been a chivalrous lot," Foster remarked. "I wonder if that kind of thing would happen nowadays."

"I'm afraid one couldn't expect it, sir," the old fellow answered and Foster smiled.

The cross faded into the hillside; it got dark and the valley narrowed. Trees grew in sheltered spots; the faint, delicate tracery of birch branches breaking the solid, black ranks of the firs. The road wound along the river, which roared, half seen, in the gloom. Now and then they ran through water, and presently the glare of the becalms bored through breast-high mist. There was a smell of wet soil and rotting leaves. It was very different from the tangled pine bush of Ontario and the stark barrenness of the plains, but it was somehow familiar and Foster felt that he was at home.

By and by the moon came out, and the mist got thinner as they ran into an opening where the side of the glen fell back. Lights twinkled at the foot of a hill, and as they sped on the irregular outline of a house showed against a background of trees. It glimmered, long and low, in the moonlight, and then Foster lost it as they ran through a gate into the darkness of a belt of firs. A minute or two later, the car slowed and stopped after passing round a bend.

A wide door stood hospitably open, and a figure upon the steps cut against the light. There were two more figures inside the hall, and as he got down Foster heard voices that sounded strangely pleasant and refined. Then a man whom he could not see well shook hands with him and took him in, and he stopped, half dazzled by the brightness.

The hall was large and a fire burned on a deep hearth. There were oil lamps on tall pillars, and in the background a broad staircase ran up to a gallery in the gloom. Foster, however, had not much time to look about, for as soon as he had given up his hat and coat his host led him towards the fire and two ladies came up. He knew one was his partner's mother and the other his sister, but although they were like Lawrence he remarked a difference that was puzzling until he understood its origin. Mrs. Featherstone had an unmistakable stamp of dignity, but her face was gentle and her look very friendly; her daughter was tall and Foster thought remarkably graceful, with an air of pride and reserve, although this vanished when she gave him a frank welcoming smile. Featherstone, who was older than his wife, had short, grey hair, and lined, brown face, but looked strong and carried himself well.

Foster, who liked them at once, wondered rather anxiously whether he had pleased or disappointed them. But imagined that they would reserve their opinion. They were, of course, not the people to show what they thought, and if he had felt any embarrassment, they would have known how to put him at his ease. Still his type was, no doubt, new to them and his views might jar. He did not remember what they said, but they somehow made him feel he was not a stranger but a friend who had a claim, and when he was to his room he knew he would enjoy his stay with Featherstone's people.

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His Comrade's Story

Foster spent the most part of the next day in the open air with his host. Featherstone had a quiet, genial manner and seemed to have read much, though he held the narrow views that sometimes mark the untravelled Englishman. He appeared to be scrupulously just and showed sound judgment about matters he understood, but he had strong prejudices and Foster did not think him clever. With his rather sensitive pride and fastidiousness he was certainly not the man to make his mark in Canada, and Foster began to understand certain traits that had puzzled him in his son. Lawrence, al-

though he had keener intelligence, was not quite so fine a type as his father, and in consequence stood rough wear better. But he too, in spite of his physical courage, was then showed a supine carelessness and tried to avoid, instead of boldly grappling with, things that jarred.

They set out to go shooting, but Featherstone stopped to talk to everybody they met, and showed keen interest in such matters as the turnip crop and the price of sheep. It was clear that he was liked and respected. Sometimes he turned aside to examine tottering gates and blocked ditches, and commented to Foster upon the economies of farming and the burden of taxes. The latter soon gathered that there was not much profit to be derived from a small moorland estate and his host was far from rich. It looked as if it had cost him, and perhaps his family, some self-denial to send the money that had once or twice enabled Lawrence, and Foster with him, to weather a crisis.

At noon they were given a better lunch than Foster had often been satisfied with at a lonely farm, where Featherstone was so fond of his son's partner, and seemed to take an ingenious pride in making it known that Lawrence was prospering. This gave Foster a hint that he acted on later. They, however, shot a brace of partridges in a turnip field, a widgeon that rose from a reedy tarn and a woodcock that sprang out of a holly thicket in a bog. It was a day of gleams of sunlight, passing showers, and mist that rolled about the hills and swept away, leaving the long slopes in transient brightness, checked with the green of mosses and the red of withered fern. The sky cleared as they turned homewards, and when they reached the Garth an angry crimson glow spread across the west.

Tea was brought them in the hall and Foster, who had changed his

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clothes, which was a rare luxury in Canada, sat with much content in a corner by the hearth. He had been out in the raw wind long enough to enjoy the rest and warmth, and the presence of the two English ladies added to the charm. Mrs. Featherstone was knitting, but Alice talked to her father about the shooting and what he had noted on the farms. Foster thought her cleverer than the others, but it was obvious that her interest was not forced. She understood agriculture and her remarks were singularly shrewd.

(To Be Continued.)

Seal Meat Latest Delicacy

Seal meat is the latest table delicacy being considered by the Dominion food board as a substitute for the ordinary bovine species. Last week officers of the food board interviewed Dr. Grenfell, of the Labrador Mission, with regard to this proposal. Dr. Grenfell reported that it would be quite easy to secure twenty million pounds of seal meat for the ordinary bovine species. The meat is said to be palatable and to possess high nutritive value, and the matter will be gone into shortly.

Mr. Bellows—O wife, these look like biscuits my mother baked twenty years ago.

Mr. Bellows (greatly delighted)—I'm so glad.

Mr. Bellows (biting one)—And by George, I believe they are the same biscuits.—*Chattanooga Times.*

When Churches Saved Coal

That the stove in the meeting house was a "snare of the devil," to make people too comfortable, was an opinion not only expressed, but actually enforced, by the Puritans in olden days in Salem. Those rugged old souls would not have a stove in their meeting house. They did relent enough to allow the use of "foot stoves," by women and children. But the men and boys had to stamp their feet and clap their hands to keep from freezing during meeting time.—*Salem News.*

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Tom Burnham, 4 " "

The Red Cross Sewing Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Ontkes this week and next week with Mrs. McFarlane.

Oil Company to Drill Soon

The Van Duzen Oil Co., with holdings in the big oil fields in Wyoming and Montana expect to start drilling operations on their extensive holdings immediately. They have one rig spotted in the Crazy Woman's Pocket Field, and one on the way from California. According to advices from oil men in the fields they have a most excellent chance to bring in production within the next few weeks.

A prairie fire took place on Thursday last, the fire commenced from some unknown cause on W. McAdams' farm, and as there was a strong wind, the fire made rapid progress, it swept on its course to Geo. Becker's place doing considerable damage, burning down a barn and a couple of wagons.

ANNOUNCING A NEW



MODEL "F-A"

"Baby Grand" Touring Car

THE demand for Chevrolet performance in a larger and more powerful car is met by the Baby Grand Touring Car. Chevrolet engineers have, in this car, perfected many new features that give it a quick get-away, surplus power on hills, and reliability under all road conditions.

On account of its power, flexibility, comfort and easy clutch, this model appeals to lady drivers. The car is extremely well finished, nicely appointed and fully equipped.

EXCLUSIVE FEATURES

37 H.P. 4 cylinder valve-in-head motor extremely powerful, smooth, flexible and efficient.
Cooling—Water circulated by centrifugal pump through large honeycomb radiator.
Clutch—Cone type, extremely easy to operate.
Brakes—Positive in action and easily operated.

Rear Springs—Semi-cantilever, making the "Baby Grand" one of the most comfortable riding cars.
Cooling—Three-quarter steering type with spiral driving gear.
Starting and Lighting—Electro Auto Link.
Ignition—Remy.

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Wyoming Oil Company to Drill in Famous Field

One of the new companies to enter the Warm Springs field during the past week was the Van Duzen Oil Co. This progressive concern has secured a lease on the very apex of the anticline and since the drilling depth is only about 900 feet, they fully expect to have their first well completed within the next few weeks.

The Warm Springs Dome came into the lime light last year when it proved itself to be one of the biggest producers of oil in the State of Wyoming. Nine wells have already been completed in this field and at the present rate of drilling the field should be a regular forest of derricks before the summer months are over.

NOTICE.

We the undersigned have agreed to the following prices for Share work on and after April 1st, 1918.

12 in. and 14 in Shares 50c
16 in. 60c
Each additional 2 inches 10c

Shares brought to shop on plows 20c extra will be charged on Stubble Plows and 30c on Breaking Plows.

Pointing Shares, 12 and 14 in. 1.25
16 in. 1.35
18 in. 1.45
Welding Extension on Lugs \$1.00 to 1.50

JOHN STOREY,
ALEX. JESSIMAN.

We also beg to announce that on and after May 1st, 1918, we have decided to close on Saturdays at 1 o'clock, until further notice.

JOHN STOREY,
ALEX. JESSIMAN.

J. STOREY,

Wishes to inform Farmers and others interested that he has taken over the business lately carried on by W. Bradley

Shoeing and General Blacksmith.

Plow Shares a Specialty.

All work entrusted to me will receive prompt attention.

A Box Sled and Dances will be held in the Abernethy Salliohouse, on Friday, April 19th, in aid of the Red Cross Society. A cordial invitation to all.

Wanted.—Rye Straw in the sheaf suitable for stuffing horse collars. Apply to the Great West Saddlery Co., Calgary.

Lost.—One Oak Chair, leather seat, between Depot and Morrow's Farm. Anyone found same please phone 305.

Wanted.—To rent with option to purchase, ¼ or ½ section of land, either well or creek. Not afraid to keep in repair. Terms, etc., to The Chronicle Office.

NOTICE

All Births, Marriages and Deaths must be registered according to law, otherwise offenders will be liable to a penalty.

By order,
CHAS. HULTGREEN,
Registrar.

LOST

Lost.—About a week ago from Crossfield Two Coyote Hounds, one fawn and one black, marked on the ear. Please notify A. McFarlane, Crossfield.

For Sale.

For Sale.—One 4½ h.p. Gasoline Engine, in good running order. Can be seen at A. Jessiman's Blacksmith, Crossfield.

CROSSFIELD LODGE I. O. O. F.

No. 42
Meets Every Wednesday Night in the Oddfellows Hall at 8 p.m.
Visiting Brethren Welcome.

R. W. McFARLANE, N. G.
S. WILLIS, Sec.-Treas.
A. JESSIMAN, Fin.-Sec.

Crossfield School District No. 752

The REGULAR MEETINGS of the above school Board will be held at the School House at 10 a. m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November. All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the Crossfield Drug Store.

A. R. THOMAS, Chairman.

Merrick Thomas, Sec.-Treas.

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MERRICK THOMAS, Druggist

MAKE MONEY WITH US

Standard Drilling Rigs Now Ready to Pound Their Way Into The Oil Sands

Warm Springs—Wyoming

Already one of the big producing fields of Wyoming. Eight wells have been completed and fortunate stockholders are drawing big dividends every month in the year. This is a "shallow" field and the drilling cost is at a minimum. Through a peculiar turn of fortune the Van Duzen Co. was able to secure a valuable lease on this structure. At least a dozen companies are now drilling towards the oil producing sands in the Warm Springs Dome and we do not expect to lose much time in starting our operations there. Remember this is a producing field.

Sundance-Upton Fields—Wyoming

We were in this field before the boom started and have 6,000 acres under lease on the very apex of the structure. This dome bids fair to be one of the best fields in Wyoming and our large acreage will always make us the big company of this field. We have one rig spotted in this field.

Salt Creek—Wyoming

This is the most consistent oil producing field in all the world, and although the field is but five years old, it has made more wealthy people than any of the big fields of Wyoming. The wide-awake new who are at the head of this company have secured 320 acres of land less than a half mile from one of the largest gushers in the field. One 500 barrel well in this field at \$1.00 per barrel would mean more than 20 per cent per annum on the total capitalization of the Van Duzen Oil Co. We have room for 64 wells on this property.

The Crazy Woman's Pocket—Montana

This dome has been recognized by many geologists to be the most perfect structure for an oil reservoir in all of America. Two other companies have well in the process of completion on this dome, and it is reported that one of them has already encountered an oil producing sand. The Van Duzen Oil Co. has secured 560 acres of deeded land lying midway between the two wells now drilling. Our derrick is now in the course of construction. When this field is proven it will be the first producing field in Montana. Boom prices will prevail and our stock is sure to go sky high.

Powder River Junction—Wyoming

We have a one-third locator's interest in three one-quarter sections lying within a quarter of a mile from a well now being drilled by the famous Ohio Oil Co. This dome is looked upon as being one of the coming fields of the state. Shallow drilling and its proximity to rail transportation will make this field a big dividend payer.

VAN DUZEN OIL COMPANY, 421-22 Security Bldgs., BILLINGS, Montana.

VAN DUZEN OIL CO.,
421-22 Security Bldg.,
Billings, Montana.

Gentlemen:

Please send me at once full information regarding the Van Duzen Oil Co. I am anxious to know all about it before you advance the price of the stock.

Name

Address

Occupation

All Common Stock
Fully Paid and
Non-Assessable

Authorized Capital
\$1,000,000.00

10c per Share 10c

Make all Remit-
tances payable to
the Company

Date 191.....
VAN DUZEN OIL COMPANY,
421-22 Security Bldg.,
Billings, Montana.

Gentlemen:

I hereby make application for

..... shares of the Capital Stock of the Van Duzen Oil Co., at the rate of Ten Cents per share, and enclose herewith the sum of \$..... in payment for same.

It is understood that the shares are fully paid up and non-assessable and that the Company reserves the right to immediately return my remittance to me in case the shares are all sold or the price advanced before you receive my application.

Name

(My signature)

Address